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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
TOSHINARI SUZUKI ET AL : EXAMINER: HARTMAN, JR., R.  
SERIAL NO: 09/596,067 :  
FILED: JUNE 16, 2000 : GROUP ART UNIT: 2121  
FOR: WEIGHT IDENTIFICATION :  
METHOD AND FEEDBACK  
CONTROL METHOD

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AMENDMENT

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated December 20, 2002 please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

3. (Amended) A feedback control method comprising:  
a1 preparing a plurality of models, each of which includes at least a phase-delay model  
and a phase advancement model and is represented by combining the phase delay model and  
the phase advancement model;  
identifying a first weight that is assigned to one of the plurality of models;  
specifying a second weight that is assigned to at least one model that is other than the  
one of the plurality of models, based on the first weight.

Please add new Claims 11-12 as follows: